

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 5, please amend the paragraph beginning at line 13 as follows:

--According to a second aspect the invention provides an arrangement for controlling at least one transmission parameter of a connection between a transmitting station and a receiving station in a communication system comprising:

a control unit for determining a power up requirement or a power down requirement;

means for monitoring the distribution of the power up and power down requirements over a period of time; and

means for changing ~~[[the]]~~ a quality target of the transmission in the event that the means for monitoring detect a predefined form of distribution in the monitored distribution.--